ment for certification. That is one of the functions. Supposing a particular item which was voted down by the Council was certified by the Government, then, are we to abolish the Council altogether? Will it be proper for us to stop the Council for that reason?

Mr. A. B. Salem.—No, no.

President.—Now the Council has been constituted for all these purposes, and you say that, because a grant has been certified, we don't want the Council at all.

Mr. A. B. Salem.—Popular opinion is that we do not want such a Council, and the Government opinion is that we want such a Council.

President.—You will find, Mr. Salem, that we have guarded ourselves against anything wrong being committed. The answer is "the meaning cannot be made plainer". You know what is meant by a "Peoples' Institution". The terms which you use are 'Government of the people, for the people and by the people".

Mr. A. B. Salem.—The Parliament in England is a Peoples' Institution. But the Legislative Councils in India and elsewhere are not Peoples' Institutions, they are rather Government Institutions. The only function is that we can come and go.

President.—It is true that this is not like the Parliament. This Legislative Council cannot be considered in the same way as the Parliament. But at the same time it is not at all a Government Institution.

Details of expenditure incurred by the Economic Development Committee.

314. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state what are the various items on which money was spent and how much on each item under experiments referred to in Appendix I in answer to question No. 32 of the Legislative Session of 1105?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—

Items on which money was spent.	*Amount spent on each item.* Rs.
1. For putting up wire netting for Poultry farm at Thoosam	84—0—0
2. Tuition fee incurred in connection with the training of Rama Manalar in Bee-keeping at Ramanathapuram	80—0—0
3. Economic Survey charges	200—0—0
4. Bonus to teachers for propaganda work	900—0—0

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